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Spotlighting

THE RESERVE DIRECTORS

Commander Cain has served in the Coast Guard since 1942. His interesting military background started during the First World War, when he served with the Sixth Marines, Second Division and with the Army's Fourth Division for one enlistment after World War I.

During the 1917-1918 conflict, Commander Cain received citations for the Croix-deGuerre and is entitled to wear the fourragere. He is also entitled to wear the French Verdun Medal, Chateau Thierry Medal, French Commemorative, Soissons and Alsace Lorraine Medals. Other campaign and service medals he possesses are the World War I Victory Medal with five stars, German Army of Occupation, American Defense, World War II Victory Medal, Ten-Year Reserve Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Expert Rifle and Pistol Medal and he is the holder of the Purple Heart.

In the early stages of World War II, he commanded the Guard Battalion of five companies on Port Security in Los Angeles, California. In later stages of the war he commanded the Explosives Loading Unit in Los Angeles and supervised the loading of close to a million tons of explosives destined for the Pacific.

At the close of the war, he commanded the Intake Station in Los Angeles where some 10,000 Coast Guard veterans were demobilized, and in 1946 he went back to civilian life. But not for long. In 1948 he returned to active duty as Reserve Director of the Eleventh Coast Guard



CDR Silas M. Cain, USCGR
Second District

District, and in 1951 returned to the Captain of the Port Office in Los Angeles where he screened some 10,000 longshoremen and dockworkers as commanding officer of the Card Section.

He was senior boarding officer in 1952 and 1953, again in Los Angeles, and on 1 April 1954 Commander Cain reported to the Second Coast Guard District as Assistant Director of Reserve.

Commander Cain, who is originally from Allerton, Iowa, is married and has three charming daughters.

Commander Cain boasts of having the original discharges of both grandfathers from the Civil War.

He is a member of the Masonic Order and a lifetime member of the Semper Paratus Lodge number 49.

Two Correspondence Courses Offered By Naval Intelligence

Coast Guard Reserve officers may now enroll in two courses currently offered by the Naval Intelligence School; FUNDAMENTALS OF NAVAL INTELLIGENCE, NavPers 10728, 8 assignments, 24 retirement points, and NAVAL INTELLIGENCE NavPers 10774, 10 assignments, 40 retirement points.

FUNDAMENTALS OF NAVAL INTELLIGENCE (NavPers 10728) is designed to give the student a

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12 National Resources Conferences Scheduled

National Defense Resources Conferences will convene as indicated in the following schedule:

San Francisco, Calif.	15 Sep 58
Portland, Oreg.	22 Sep 58
Phoenix, Ariz.	27 Oct 58
Charlotte, N. C.	10 Nov 58
Washington, D. C.	1 Dec 58
Omaha, Nebr.	26 Jan 59
Springfield, Mo.	9 Feb 59
Chattanooga, Tenn.	16 Mar 59
Peoria, Ill.	30 Mar 59
New Orleans, La.	13 Apr 59
Salt Lake City, Utah	11 May 59
Cleveland, Ohio	18 May 59

These conferences are for officers who are lieutenant commanders or above whose probable future mobilization assignments will be at policy making levels. Quotas are controlled by the Commandant (PR-3) and may be obtained by forwarding form CG-3453 via appropriate channels.

Unit News

Unit Attendance

Month of May 1958

National Average..... 85.9%
 Highest District: 11th..... 89.2
 Highest ORTUPS: 12-059 San
 Luis Obispo, Calif..... 95.
 Highest ORTUAG: 11-195 San
 Diego, Calif..... 95.8

Commissioning

ORTUPS 03-889, U. S. Coast Guard base, Gloucester, N. J., was commissioned 7 June 1958 as a week-end unit. The commanding officer is LCDR John T. Ramos.

New ORTUS Formed

ORTUPS:	ANTICIPATED DRILLING FACILITY
Quincy, Mass.	USNRTC
Alameda, Calif. (Unit II)	USCG Base
New Haven, Conn.	USNRTC
Waterbury Conn.	USNRTC
Atlantic City, N. J.	USNRTC
Jersey City, N. J.	USNRTC
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.	USNRTC
Elizabeth, N. J.	USNRTC
ORTUAG:	

Ft. Schuyler, N. Y.	USNRTC
Kings Point, N. Y.	U. S. Merchant Marine Acad- emy

Can You Top This?

Frederic J. SCHADE, Jr. (2028-854) BM3, USCGR-RB, enlisted in the Coast Guard Reserve on 30 August 1956, in the 6 month active duty for training program. He reported for training duty at the Receiving Center, Cape May, N. J., on 5 September 1956.

SCHADE'S record of advancement in rate is as follows:

SR to SA--5 December 1956 at Receiving Center, Cape May.

SA to SN--1 April 1957 at ORTUPS 09-098, Buffalo, N. Y.

SN to BM3--Effective 1 July 1958 at ORTUPS 09-098, Buffalo, N. Y.

SCHADE participated in the last scheduled service-wide advancement examinations, received a passing grade, and was subsequently recommended for advancement by his commanding officer. Rating marks, and active duty for training requirements have already been met. Time in grade requirement will be met on 30 June 1958.

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First CG Officers Complete Navy Public Relations Officers Course

The first Coast Guard Reserve officers to attend the Naval Reserve Public Relations Officers Course at the Service School Command, U. S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill., were graduated on 27 June.

They were unanimous in praising the course and the consensus was that ORTU CO's, XO's and officers holding collateral PIO billets would greatly benefit from it.

LCDR Edmund L. Castillo, USN, officer-in-charge of the Journalist School, praised the industry and interest of the Coast Guard officers, and was particularly pleased with their participation in class discussions. He said, "We have had a good many Coast Guardsmen in enlisted courses at the Journalist School and one officer has attended the regular Information Officer Course. This class of Coast Guard Reservists showed keen interest in public relations and a real understanding of its importance. I personally am glad that Coast Guard Reserve officers made use of the course, and I would welcome more."

The six officers included in the class of fourteen, which convened 16 June, were CDR George B. Dermody, former CO of ORTUPS 09-

588, Chicago; LCDR William P. Butler, CO, ORTUPS 03-853, Philadelphia; LCDR William K. Barker, interservice training, Topeka, Kans.; LCDR John D. Stengel, CO, ORTUPS 02-580, Louisville, Ky.; LCDR Hartwell Weaver, Jr., XO, ORTUPS 07-192, Athens, Ga., and LT Henry W. Kreuter, 3CGD, New York.

The course is a condensed version of the four-week course taught at the Journalist School for Navy and Marine Corps PIOs and is specifically set up for CO's, XO's and collateral PIO's of Reserve units. It begins with an over-all study of public relations and the duties and responsibilities of the PIO. Next news media are studied and the uses and value of newspapers, magazines, radio and TV, for PI use, discussed and evaluated. Community relations, an important responsibility of unit officers, covered several days study.

The course was hard work, but extremely rewarding. Since every story should have a happy ending, the "30" for this story is that all the Coast Guard officers passed the stiff final examination and are proud possessors of diplomas.

Viewing Citation for Fire-Fighting Job



Four Coast Guard Reservists from Covington, La., read their citation for "bravery and devotion to duty" awarded to them by Rear Admiral Joseph A. Kerrins, USCG, Commander of the Eighth Coast Guard District.

While on authorized liberty the boys put out a fire aboard a 55-foot yacht moored at Grand Isle, La., where they were attending a two-day multiple drill with other members of New Orleans ORTUPS 08-425.

From left to right, Rayburn King, SA; Lawrence Keyte, FN; and William Kentzel, FN. Jack Blossman, SN, is seated.

KNOW YOUR RATING

ELECTRONICS TECHNICIAN

All of the electronic equipment used in the Coast Guard and Navy to send and receive messages, detect enemy planes and ships, and determine distance of targets requires continuous checking and repairing. Electronics Technicians are highly trained personnel who take care of this equipment.

Duties and Responsibilities

Electronics Technicians maintain and repair all electronic equipment on ship or station including radio, radar, and sonar equipment used for communications, detection, ranging, recognition, and countermeasures. They use tools and testing devices commonly employed in electronic service work; they calibrate, tune, and adjust equipment; and they replace defective parts.

Examples of Jobs Performed

- (1) Draw and interpret schematic circuit diagrams of simple electronic circuits and interpret complicated electronic wiring and circuit diagrams.
- (2) Start, stop, and make necessary operating adjustments, including the shifting of frequencies on radio transmitter and receivers; direction finders; radio teletype, sonar, radar, infrared, and countermeasures equipment.
- (3) Make major repairs to all standard naval types of radio, radar, sonar, and other electronic equipment.
- (4) Perform casualty analysis; test, isolate and repair or replace defective parts.
- (5) Maintain and repair motor generators associated with power supply systems used for electronic equipment.

Integration Rules Set By Commandant

The Commandant has recently promulgated rules for the integration of Reserve and temporary service officers in Personnel Instruction No. 17-58. This instruction supercedes and cancels Personnel Instruction No. 53-57, although officers who have applied for integration under the cancelled instruction will be considered as having made application under the new instruction.

The plan of the integration program is as follows: There will normally be three integration periods each calendar year with cut-off dates for receipt of applications on 1 March, 1 July, and 1 November. When the needs of the Service so require, applications received for consideration at the close of one integration period may be held over and combined with applications received for consideration at the close of the following period. There are two categories of eligible male Reserve and temporary service officers. The first group is called Category A and is made up of Reserve and temporary service officers on active duty who have had continuous active service since first appointment as ensign. The second group, Category B, is comprised of temporary service officers and Reserve officers either on active or inactive duty, who do not meet the requirements of Category A.

The requirements for integration are as follows: Each applicant must have completed two years of college or equivalent, or pass a two-year college level achievement test. Officers in Category A must have served on active duty as commis-

sioned officers of the Coast Guard or Coast Guard Reserve for at least two years preceding their date of integration. Category B officers who seek to integrate in the rank of lieutenant (junior grade) or ensign must also have completed two years of active service. Category B officers who seek to integrate in the rank of lieutenant must have six years' total service, three of which were active service, except that for officers who have had continuous active service since appointment as ensign, only four years' total service is required. To integrate as a lieutenant commander, a Category B officer must have 12 years' total service, four of which were active service. Category B officers who seek integration must not have reached the ages indicated for various ranks as follows: For Reserve officers to integrate as ensign or lieutenant (junior grade): 29; for Reserve officers to integrate as lieutenant: 34; for temporary service officers to integrate as lieutenant: 38; for Reserve or temporary service officers to integrate as lieutenant commander: 41. No applicant may be integrated in a grade higher than lieutenant commander.

Category A officers, if integrated, will have the same date of rank they held as Reserve or temporary service officers. Category B officers, if integrated, will take precedence after the last officer on active duty appointed in the grade in which they are integrated and will have as a date of rank the date their appointments are tendered. Category B applicants who served on active duty as commissioned officers in the Coast Guard or Coast Guard Reserve between 7 December 1941 and 31 December 1946 will have a date of rank which is earlier than the date of appointment by one month for each year or fraction thereof of such service, subject to the limitation that they may not thus receive a date of rank earlier than an officer of the Coast Guard previously appointed to that grade who has more commissioned active Coast Guard service.

Each applicant must satisfactorily complete, prior to the cut-off date for receipt of applications, four examinations, as follows:

1. Navigation I (Piloting)
2. Navigation II (Celestial)
3. Seamanship
4. Ordnance and Gunnery

Although this article has provided the general outline of the integration program, interested personnel should consult Personnel Instruction No. 17-58 for details.

Qualifications

Interest and aptitude for fine, detailed, mechanical work are important qualifications for Electronics Technicians. School courses in radio, electricity, physics, algebra, trigonometry and shop are very helpful in preparing for this work. Experience in amateur radio and practical experience in any mechanical or electrical trade are also of great value to the prospective Electronics Technician.

Chart of Officers and Enlisted Pay Per Meeting Night

OFFICERS

Pay Grade	Under 2 Yrs.	Over 2	Over 3	Over 4	Over 6	Over 8	Over 10	Over 12	Over 14	Over 16	Over 18	Over 20	Over 22	Over 26	Over 30
O-6	\$19.76	\$20.93	\$22.33	\$22.33	\$22.33	\$22.33	\$22.33	\$22.33	\$23.00	\$26.67	\$28.00	\$28.67	\$30.33	\$32.83	\$32.83
O-5	15.81	16.77	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.67	19.67	21.00	22.67	24.00	24.83	25.83	25.83	25.83
O-4	13.33	14.13	15.17	15.17	15.50	16.17	17.33	18.33	19.00	20.33	21.00	21.00	21.00	21.00	21.00
O-3	10.87	11.53	12.40	13.83	14.67	15.33	16.00	17.00	17.50	17.50	17.50	17.50	17.50	17.50	17.50
O-2	8.65	9.70	12.00	12.33	12.67	12.67	12.67	12.67	12.67	12.67	12.67	12.67	12.67	12.67	12.67
O-1	7.41	8.37	10.47	10.47	10.47	10.47	10.47	10.47	10.47	10.47	10.47	10.47	10.47	10.47	10.47

WARRANT OFFICERS

W-4	11.10	12.53	12.53	12.77	13.30	13.87	14.50	15.50	16.20	16.80	17.20	17.60	18.10	19.17	19.83
W-3	10.09	11.43	11.43	11.60	11.77	12.67	13.27	13.73	14.23	14.70	15.27	15.67	16.23	16.87	16.87
W-2	8.83	11.04	11.04	11.34	12.04	12.51	12.94	13.41	13.81	14.21	14.64	14.91	15.78	15.78	15.78
W-1	8.43	8.98	9.61	10.00	10.43	11.13	11.50	11.80	12.13	12.50	13.00	13.00	13.00	13.00	13.00

ENLISTED

E-9							12.67	13.00	13.33	13.67	14.00	14.33	14.67	14.67	14.67
E-8						10.33	10.67	11.00	11.33	11.67	12.00	12.33	12.67	12.67	12.67
E-7	6.88	7.87	7.87	8.33	8.66	9.00	9.50	10.00	10.33	10.83	11.33	11.67	11.67	11.67	11.67
E-6	5.86	6.66	6.66	7.50	7.83	8.16	8.50	8.83	9.17	9.33	9.67	9.67	9.67	9.67	9.67
E-5	4.84	6.00	6.00	6.83	7.00	7.33	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00
E-4	4.08	5.00	5.33	5.67	6.00	6.33	6.33	6.33	6.33	6.33	6.33	6.33	6.33	6.33	6.33
E-3	3.31	4.13	4.13	4.70	4.70	4.70	4.70	4.70	4.70	4.70	4.70	4.70	4.70	4.70	4.70
E-2	2.86	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60
E-1	2.77	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50

The above pay chart is figured on the increased pay scale for active duty personnel (monthly pay divided by 30).

TWO COURSES--Cont. from p. 1

thorough understanding of the principles, functions, and uses of Naval Intelligence.

NAVAL INTELLIGENCE (NavPers 10774) gives the students a thorough understanding of the principles, functions, and uses of Naval Intelligence, plus a much broader understanding of the role of Intelligence in our national strategy and an insight into national and international problems of interest. The assignments contain objective and essay questions, as well as two practical problems in intelligence.

Applications should be by letter via chain of command to: Director, U. S. Naval Intelligence School, U. S. Naval Receiving Station, Washington 25, D. C. (Attn: Code 22); and must include (1) full name, (2) rank, (3) file number, (4) numerical designa-

tor, if any, (5) mailing address, (6) indication of active or inactive duty status of Reserve officers, and (7) certification that applicant has available and will use stowage facilities sufficient for material classified "Confidential--Modified Handling Authorized." A statement must also be included that applicant understands and will observe security requirements for handling classified material.

CAN YOU TOP THIS?-- Cont. from p. 2

SCHADE is the first 6 x 8 enlistee to be advanced to paygrade E-4 in this District, and as he has advanced in rate as quickly as the minimum requirements allow, he may well be the first 6 x 8 enlistee to have been so advanced in the entire Coast Guard Reserve structure.



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